

## CLAIMS

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1. Use of IGF-I or analogues thereof in the manufacture of a medicament useful in the prevention of diabetes.

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2. Use of IGF-I or analogues thereof in the manufacture of a medicament useful in delaying the clinical onset of diabetes.

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3. Use of IGF-I or analogues thereof in the manufacture of a medicament having a protective effect against diabetes.

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4. Use of IGF-I or analogues thereof in the manufacture of a medicament preventing beta cell destruction in subjects that are at high risk of developing diabetes.

5. Use of IGF-I or analogues thereof in the manufacture of a medicament for regulating T cells in subjects at high risk of developing diabetes.

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6. Method for preventing diabetes by administration of IGF-I or analogues thereof.

7. Method for delaying the clinical onset of diabetes by administration of IGF-I or analogues thereof.

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8. Method for protecting against diabetes by administration of IGF-I or analogues thereof.

9. Method for preventing beta cell destruction in subjects which are at high risk of developing diabetes by administration of IGF-I or analogues thereof.

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10. Method for regulating of T cells in subjects which are at high risk of developing diabetes by administration of IGF-I or analogues thereof.

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